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SUBJ: LOW KEY ANTI-JAPANESE DEMONSTRATIONS ON SEPTEMBER 17

REF: SEOUL 6134, 6121

1. MORNING AND AFTERNOON DEMONSTRATIONS NEAR JAPANESE EMBASSY COMPOUND ON SEPTEMBER 17 WERE SMALL, SUBDUED, AND APPARENTLY HELD WITHOUT SERIOUS INCIDENT. PROTESTERS ATTEMPTING TO BREECH POLICE BARRICADES WERE TURNED AWAY WITH TEAR GAS AT ONE POINT BUT DEMONSTRATIONS OVERALL WERE Milder IN TONE AND PARTICIPANTS ON BOTH SIDE OF POLICE LINES WERE MORE RESTRAINED.

2. NOON RADIO ANNOUNCED THAT PRIME MINISTER KIM CHONG PIL WOULD SOMETIME ON SEPTEMBER 17 URGE KOREAN PEOPLE TO "DAMPEN" THEIR ANTI-JAPANESE FEELINGS IN LIGHT OF POSSIBLE AGREEMENT SOON BETWEEN KOREA AND JAPAN OVER ISSUES RAISED IN AUGUST 15 INCIDENT.

3. BY LATE AFTERNOON, PROTEST ACTIVITY HAD BEEN REDUCED TO VERY LOW LEVEL.

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